

is captioned "Succession to Office of Governor and Lieutenant Governor."

Admittedly it is difficult to spell out all of the areas of jurisdiction in those five sections, but to make it clear, we just followed in effect what the Committee had done by putting the subject headings in the sentence in 4.11. I just raised the question of whether or not by adopting this amendment we destroyed our intent which was the reference back to each of these five preceding sections to indicate that those were the areas of jurisdiction; certainly there are instances in section 4.09 where the president of the Senate does serve as acting governor.

THE PRESIDENT: Delegate Morgan.

DELEGATE MORGAN: Mr. President, that is why this amendment is being proposed by the Committee on the Executive Branch and why it could not be proposed by the Committee on Style and Drafting, because it was to correct an oversight that we were originally responsible for when we drafted it and that is the sole purpose of the amendment. I cannot understand why it is taking so darn much time to dispose of it.

THE PRESIDENT: Very well.

Delegate Burdette.

DELEGATE BURDETTE: I think that one of the problems that has developed in the omission of the word "service", and the use of the language proposed here, is that it seems inadvertently to give to the Court of Appeals the power to deal, not with the service of, but with the lieutenant governor or the president of the Senate acting as governor.

THE PRESIDENT: Delegate Burdette, we heretofore indicated to the chairman of the Committee on Style in response to a substantially similar comment by Delegate Beatrice Miller that the Committee on Style could restructure the sentence in the form of the balance of the section.

Has every delegate voted? Does any delegate desire to change his vote? This is a vote on Amendment No. 7.

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Delegate Gill.

DELEGATE GILL: Should we vote on this before we know what the Style Committee has done with it?

THE PRESIDENT: You are voting on the substance. Every recommendation goes

back to the Committee on Style and then comes back to the Convention on third reading. You will have the opportunity to consider any change that the Committee on Style makes.

DELEGATE GILL: I am not questioning the vote on the style. I am questioning voting on the substance because Delegate Marion was not sure how he was explaining it. We do not know whether Delegate Penniman will know how to change it. We will not know what we are voting on.

THE PRESIDENT: Delegate Morgan indicated he disagreed with what Delegate Marion stated. I think the Committee on Style can straighten it out. Has every delegate voted? Any delegate desire to change his vote?

*(There was no response.)*

The Clerk will record the vote.

There being 98 votes in the affirmative and 1 in the negative, the motion is carried and the amendment is adopted.

Are there any other amendments to section 4.11.

Are there any amendments to section 4.12?

Are there any amendments to section 4.13?

Are there any amendments to section 4.14?

4.15? 4.16? 4.17? 4.18?

Delegate Byrnes, do you desire to offer your Amendment KU?

DELEGATE BYRNES: No, sir.

*(Applause.)*

THE PRESIDENT: Are there any other amendments to section 4.18?

Are there any amendments to section 4.19?

Delegate Morgan, do you desire to offer your Amendment J?

DELEGATE MORGAN: Yes, I do.

THE PRESIDENT: Pages please distribute Amendment J.

Delegate Clagett.

DELEGATE CLAGETT: Parliamentary inquiry.

THE PRESIDENT: State the inquiry.

DELEGATE CLAGETT: When does the new working day begin?